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SENATE RESOLUTION 1001

A RESOLUTION

PROCLAIMING FEBRUARY 7, 2007 AS AVIATION DAY IN ARIZONA.

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1 Whereas, an efficient and reliable aviation system is a critical
2 element of Arizona's overall transportation system and vitality of the
3 state's economy; and

4 Whereas, the aviation industry had a \$37 billion impact on Arizona's
5 economy in 2002 and supported more than 465,000 jobs with a payroll; and

6 Whereas, over the next twenty years, the total number of passengers
7 boarding at all twelve commercial service airports in the state, including
8 the three largest airports of Sky Harbor International Airport, Tucson
9 International Airport and the Grand Canyon National Park Airport, is expected
10 to nearly double; and

11 Whereas, the total number of general aviation aircraft based in Arizona
12 is expected to increase by more than thirty per cent over the next twenty
13 years; and

14 Whereas, the amount of cargo passing through Sky Harbor International
15 and Tucson International airports and other major airport facilities
16 throughout Arizona is expected to more than double over the next twenty
17 years.

18 Therefore

19 Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Arizona:

20 1. That the Members of the Senate proclaim February 7, 2007 as
21 Aviation Day in Arizona and honor the industry's workers for their tremendous
22 contributions to this state.

23 2. That the Secretary of State transmit copies of this Resolution to
24 the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association.